

NEWS OF THE STATE IS SENT BY WIRE

WHAT HAS HAPPENED IN THE BADGER STATE.

Mrs. Brightman Dies of Insanity at Milton Junction—Was Quite a Noted Literary Woman—Other Deaths in Wisconsin—The Water Works Litigation at Monroe.

Milton, Wis., Feb. 19.—Mrs. N. A. C. Brightman, of Milton Junction, who was adjudged insane this week, died yesterday. She was a woman of considerable literary ability, was the author of several books and gave public addresses.

Watertown, Wis., Feb. 19.—Capt. Leonard Jaehling died last night aged 80 years.

Kenosha, Wis., Feb. 19.—Mrs. I. W. Webster died here aged 73 years.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 19.—Gottlieb Brauer died this evening of grip and general debility, aged 84.

West Superior, Wis., Feb. 19.—Mrs. M. H. Tuttle died from a nervous attack, the result of a fall.

TAX ON WATERWORKS SYSTEM

Litigation Likely at Monroe Over the City's Demands

Monroe, Wis., Feb. 19.—The Illinois Trust & Savings Bank company of Chicago, has demanded payment from the city of the amount held back from the hydrant rental by the city to pay taxes on the water works system. The Trust company is trustee of the mortgages of the Monroe Waterworks company. Litigation will probably follow, as the city maintains its right to collect the taxes.

Huber Gets a \$7,500 Verdict.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 19.—Henry Huber was awarded a verdict for \$7,500 damages against the United States Express company by a jury in the Federal court for injuries received by being run down by a wagon owned by the express company.

Crazy Man Has \$866.

Racine, Wis., Feb. 19.—The police, last night, arrested a man who gave his name as John Morsowski, and who had been aimlessly roaming through the residence districts during the day and evening. On his person was found \$866.

Interested in Beet Sugar.

New Richmond, Wis., Feb. 19.—Considerable interest is being manifested in the beet sugar industry here, and a mass meeting will be held tomorrow afternoon to secure a factory at this place.

First Sailing Vessel

Kewaunee, Wis., Feb. 19.—The scow Farrand P. Williams sailed into this port, this afternoon. She is the first sailing vessel to arrive this season.

Fell From a Bridge.

West Superior, Wis., Feb. 19.—Albert McGinnis of Superior fell ninety feet from a railroad bridge near Bar river and died yesterday.

Epworth League at Oshkosh.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 19.—The fifth annual state convention of the Wisconsin Epworth league opened in the First Methodist church here Thursday night and will continue through Sunday. The attendance will reach 1,000. The opening address was delivered by Dr. D. A. Hayes of the Garrett Biblical institute, Evanston, Ill.

Three Trainmen Meet Death.

Kinmundy, Ill., Feb. 19.—A freight wreck occurred on the Illinois Central road near Bosky Dell, Ill. The engine and fourteen cars, with contents, were demolished. The engineer, fireman and one brakeman were killed. The cause of the wreck was the breaking of the axle of the drivers on the engine.

Ex-Gov. Oglesby Perceaved.

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 19.—Ophelia W. Peddecord, wife of Jasper J. Peddecord and sister of ex-Gov. Richard J. Oglesby, died at her residence in this city Thursday, aged 77. She was a native of Kentucky and came to Decatur with her brother, ex-Gov. Oglesby, in 1836.

Wardell Is Chosen President.

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 19.—At the seventh annual convention of the National Alliance Aid association A. Wardell, Topeka, was elected president. The meeting took up the constitution and by-laws and considered several important changes.

Vote to See the Prize-Fight.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 19.—Chairman Cox of the committee to which was referred the resolution asking the speaker to appoint a committee to visit the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight favorably reported the resolution.

Woman's Suffrage Defeated.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 20.—The resolution for a constitutional amendment granting women equal suffrage with men was defeated in the house of representatives Thursday.

MURDERED BY INDIANS.

Whole Family Put to Death Near Winona, N. D.

Winona, N. D., Feb. 19.—A horrible sextuple tragedy was discovered one mile from this place on the ranch of Rev. Thomas Spicer. The victims were:

MRS. THOMAS SPICER.
REV. THOMAS SPICER.
MRS. WILLIAM ROUSE, daughter of the Spicers.

TWO BABY BOYS, twins, sons of Mrs. Rouse.
MRS. WALDRON, mother of the postmaster.

The horribly mutilated bodies were discovered scattered about the ranch, and there is as yet no positive clue to the perpetrators of the horrible crime.

The appearance about the ranch, the condition of the bodies and some other circumstances have led to the suspicion that the murder was committed by Indians, and this suspicion was in part based upon the known fact that one Indian was seen in the neighborhood of the ranch Wednesday. Then, the bodies were terribly mutilated with axes and clubs, which fact is taken to at least partially corroborate the suspicion of the Indian murderers. There is much excitement here over the tragedy.

THE MOTHERS' CONGRESS.

Overflow Meetings Necessary at the Washington Convention.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The second day's session of the congress of mothers was as successful in every respect as the first. The meetings were attended by overflow audiences and it was necessary to throw open the Sunday school room in the church where the meetings were held to accommodate the hundreds who could not obtain admission to the auditorium, and most of the papers were read in their presence. The proceedings of the congress will be published in full in book form.

Young Pugilist Killed in the Ring.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 19.—Ben Coleman was killed in a prize fight at the Manhattan Athletic club here Thursday night. Coleman and William Rogers, both colored, put on four-ounce gloves for a ten-round fight. In the early part of the first round Rogers struck Coleman in the face and Coleman fell, his head striking heavily. He lay motionless and after ten seconds Rogers was declared the winner. An effort was then made to revive Coleman, when it was discovered he was dead. Rogers escaped, but Referee Simcoe was arrested.

Makes Demand on Great Britain.

London, Feb. 19.—The secretary of state for the colonies, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, announced in the house of commons that an official telegram had been received from the British agent at Pretoria, capital of the Transvaal, on Tuesday, conveying a bill of indemnity presented by the Transvaal as a result of the Jameson raid. The bill, he added, is divided into two heads. The first asks for the payment of £677,938 3s 3d as a material charge, and under the second head the Transvaal asks for £1,000,000 for "moral and intellectual damage."

Gomez Outgenerals Weyler.

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 19.—A special to the Citizen from Key West says that private information has been received in this city of the whereabouts of Gen. Gomez. He has succeeded in eluding Gen. Weyler, and is now between him and Havana. Gen. Gomez advanced on the Moron trocha, in the eastern end of the island, with 5,000 cavalry and 10,000 infantry. They swooped down on the fort and captured it, and the whole army went through the trocha. All the arms and ammunition of the fort were captured.

Will Be Hanged Together.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 19.—Sheriff Plummer has received the death warrants in the cases of Jackson and Walling, condemned for the murder of Pearl Bryan, directing him to carry the warrant into execution between sunrise and sunset of March 20. This gives to the sheriff the power to make two executions one after the other, or of hanging both men at once. He has announced the latter method. Therefore there will be no opportunity for separate confessions for effect upon the other man.

To Discharge Americans.

Windsor, Ont., Feb. 19.—The Canadian Typograph Company, makers of the Evans and Dodge bicycles and the Rogers typesetting machines, the largest employers of skilled mechanics in western Ontario, have notified their employees that as soon as the Corliss bill becomes a law in the United States they will discharge every man who is not a Canadian. Most of their employees reside in Detroit.

Senator Kyle Is Re-Elected.

Pierre, S. D., Feb. 18.—Senator Kyle, populist, was re-elected Thursday, republicans assisting him in order to defeat the democratic nominee. Kyle got 65 votes, three more than were needed. This ends a fight which has been in progress for several weeks.

Gov. Mount Asks for Help.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 19.—Gov. Mount has asked the editors of the state to help him in passing upon legislation.

LOSS TO NEBRASKA

IS A HEAVY ONE

LARGE DEFICIT IN EX-TREASURER'S ACCOUNTS.

State Auditor Moore Also in Difficulty—Loans to Banks in Straighted Circumstances Said To Be the Cause of the Trouble—Moore Will Settle.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 19.—A statement of the financial condition of the state treasury of Nebraska, just made public, shows that ex-State Treasurer J. S. Bartley, Republican, had a deficit staring him in the face of over \$500,000. Coupled with this is a little item of \$27,000, which ex-State Auditor Eugene V. Moore, also Republican, needs to account for in order to balance his books. Both of these officers have enjoyed the greatest confidence of their party and the people of the state.

Mr. Bartley is the victim of a too lenient policy in assisting his friends in a financial way. When the panic of 1892 struck Nebraska it was found necessary in order to preserve the integrity of several state banks to call on the state treasurer for funds. Mr. Bartley chartered a special train and deposited with the lame institutions on the line of the Elkhorn railroad good coin to tide them over the crisis. Nobody at the time supposed that the emergency would be lasting, and the understanding was that the funds should be returned in a few weeks. Weeks lengthened into months and months into years. Meanwhile several state institutions went to the wall, and others that had received help were so close run it was impossible to discharge the obligation.

Six weeks ago the newly elected officers were supposed to assume the responsibilities of their offices. The transfer in the state treasurer's office was not made, however. Treasurer-elect John Messerve refused to settle on the supposition that the records were correct. He wanted a cash settlement. This was refused, and Mr. Bartley gave as his reason for refusing that such a radical policy would break every depository in Nebraska, if it were even possible for the cash to be produced. He affirmed, however, that in the course of time every dollar will be paid and the state will not lose a cent.

The shortage in Auditor Moore's account has so far not been explained, but the gentleman vitally interested has been hustling most earnestly to impress upon his bondsmen the necessity of at once liquidating the debt. This item of \$27,000 represents fees collected from insurance companies doing business in the state. His attorney was informed by Attorney-General Smythe that criminal proceedings would be commenced against him at once if the money was not forthcoming. In the case of Mr. Bartley the case has not yet proceeded so far, although the deficit is no secret. Both men have been known to have been dealing in Cripple Creek property. Before being elected Bartley was a banker at Atkinson, and Moore a merchant. This is the second term of Bartley and the first term of Moore.

The worst of it is that the figures above mentioned do not represent the full amount of the possible loss to the state from ex-Treasurer Bartley, for in addition there is \$271,522.08 in state depository banks which have closed their doors, and which the retiring official announces his inability to turn over to his successors. He cannot be held responsible for this amount of funds, however, unless he placed some of it in banks that were not properly designated as state depositories. The money that is missing from the state treasurer's office is thus divided: Permanent school fund, \$389,596.01; permanent university fund, \$19,775.93; agricultural endowment, \$61,955.15; normal endowment, \$18,000.

The first official utterance on the shortage was the governor's special message to the legislature. After detailing the difficulty of settlement, the message says:

"In order that the state's interests may be fully protected it would seem to me advisable and of great assistance to the executive and legal departments of the state if your honorable body should appoint a joint committee to investigate and ascertain all needful facts respecting this subject, with such authority and power in the premises as may be by you deemed for the interest of the state."

The legislature appointed a committee to investigate the whole affair, and it was given five days to report.

Moore's attorney said that he anticipated criminal proceedings would be commenced against his client. He added that the attorney-general might, however, decide to begin a civil suit for the balance owing by Moore—\$23,000. Moore says he has one-third interest in a mine in Colorado for which he would not take \$100,000. It now nets \$1,500 a month, and Moore is ready to pay \$500 a month to the state on his indebtedness.

New Jersey's Chief Justice Dying.

Iron River, Mich., Feb. 19.—The residence of Thomas Brosnowski in this village was destroyed by fire Thursday. Two children were in the house at the time and were smothered to death. The mother went away, leaving the children locked in the house.

SAYS PRICE IS HIGH

FOR ARMOR PLATE

UNITED STATES WILL EXPEND LARGE SUMS.

American Firms Said To Sell Cheaper to Russia Than to This Government—Arbitration Treaty To Be Settled Today—General News of the Capital City.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The house committee on naval affairs, which is working on the naval appropriation bill, spent most of Thursday in discussing the question of the price to be paid for armor plate. The question was finally disposed of by the adoption of a paragraph authorizing the secretary of the navy to contract for steel armor of domestic manufacture for the three battleships now being constructed, and appropriating a sum not exceeding \$3,210,000 for the purpose. It is estimated that 8,025 tons of armor will be needed for the three ships, so that this provision limits the cost to \$400 a ton. A substitute was offered by Representative Hall (Dem., Mo.) limiting the appropriation to \$2,808,750, which would have limited the price per ton to \$350, but this was voted down.

Another proposition was made to strike out the words "of domestic manufacture" from the armor clause, which also failed. Members of the committee who favored this proposition argued the hearing showed that there was no competition between American firms engaged in the manufacture of armor plate and that the government should have an opportunity to buy of foreign firms, as American firms were selling armor to Russia at \$250 a ton.

The desirability of fostering American plants for ship and armor building was argued in opposition. The contest will be renewed in the house.

WILL POSTPONE TREATY.

Decision Expected by the Senate This Afternoon.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The senate adjourned at 6:30 Thursday night, after spending six hours in executive session. It had been the intention of the friends of the treaty to make an extraordinary effort to secure, if possible, its disposition before adjournment, but their plans were frustrated by senators who were more anxious to secure action upon nominations. Senator Sherman gave notice that he would today at 12:30 move an executive session for the purpose of considering the treaty alone, and that he would ask that the session behind closed doors be continued until the fate of the treaty should be known. Upon this announcement the senate adjourned without division.

There were no speeches on the merits of the treaty during the day, but all that were made were devoted to a motion by Senator Nelson of Minnesota to postpone consideration of the treaty until the 5th of March. The speeches in favor of this motion were made by Senators Nelson, Allison and Frye, and those in opposition by Senators Sherman, Lodge, Hoar, and Vest.

It is conceded on all sides that today's session will be the final one on the treaty during this congress. The most probable result is the adoption of Mr. Nelson's motion to postpone.

MCKINLEY RATES ON COAL.

Wilson Duties Said to Have Led to Reduction of Wages.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The republican members of the ways and means committee took an important step Thursday in their work on the new tariff bill by deciding to restore the McKinley rates on coal and coke. These rates were 75 cents per ton of twenty-eight bushels on bituminous and shale and 30 cents on coal slack such as will pass through a half-inch screen. The present rates are 40 cents and 15 cents. Coke is advanced from 15 to 20 per cent ad valorem. The changes were made in response to a general demand from the coal interests, whose representatives declared that the Wilson rates had increased Canadian competition so greatly that the American mine-owners had been obliged to reduce wages to keep in the field.

The committee will devote most of this week to the schedule of sundries, which includes buttons, explosives, matches, musical instruments, furs, jewelry, gloves and miscellaneous manufactures, and on most of these the McKinley rates will be restored.

Will Veto Immigration Bill.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The defeat of the immigration bill by a veto is conceded. Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, one of the foremost champions of restricted immigration in the United States, and one of the framers of the present bill, is convinced that the measure will not be approved by President Cleveland. The attitude assumed in the debate Wednesday by all the senators having confidential relations with the president is extremely significant.

Proceedings of Congress.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The house Thursday by a vote of 197 to 91 reversed the finding of a majority of the elections committee, and decided the contested election case of N. T. Hopkins vs. J. M. Kendall from the Tenth Kentucky district in favor of the Republican contestant.

KELLEHAN TRIED FOR MURDER.

One of the Men Who Held Up the Bank at Sherburne, Minn.

Mason City, Iowa, Feb. 19.—Lewis Kellehan, the alleged Sherburne, Minn., bank murderer and robber, is on trial at Fairmont. Kellehan and his brother resided at Rock Rapids, Iowa, and on Wednesday, Oct. 7, rode into Sherburne on their bicycles, dismounted in front of the bank, entered and proceeded to hold up that institution. In the robbery Assistant Cashier George Thorborn and Traveling Representative Jolstern of the Wood Harvester company were shot and killed. The robbers then grabbed \$1,500 from the bank counter and rode away on their bicycles. In the chase following the younger Kellehan killed Marshal Gallon of Bancroft, and in turn was shot by Deputy Sheriff Ward of Fairmont. All the money was found on his person.

On the Sunday following Lewis Kellehan was arrested at Lake Mills. His plea is not guilty, claiming his brother did the shooting.

Extent of the Steel Flurry.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 19.—The Iron Trade Review says: "The steel-rail war was brief and fierce, and the execution was quite all that could be desired. It is safe to say that nearly \$20,000,000 worth of rail business is on the books of the members of the late pool to-day, nearly all of it taken in five days of last week. If we count 375,000 tons of Pittsburgh sales, in addition to 100,000 tons of foreign orders and 100,000 tons of rails optioned to home roads, and to this add 250,000 tons taken by Illinois and 200,000 to 250,000 tons sold by eastern mills, we shall have a total of 1,075,000 tons."

Alliance Lecturers Are Chosen.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The annual meeting of the supreme council of the National Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union ended Thursday with a short session of the executive committee of the council. The following were elected lecturers to travel about in the interests of the alliance: E. A. Southworth of Denver, Colo., for the Western district; Hamlin V. Poor of Bird Island, Minn., for the Northwestern district, and F. H. Pensol of Parkersburg, W. Va., for part of the Eastern field. Other appointments of lecturers will be made later.

A. O. U. W. Cannot Agree on Assessments.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 19.—At Thursday's session of the Michigan grand lodge, A. O. U. W., a committee to whom was referred a resolution to adopt a graded system of assessments, instead of continuing the level system for all ages, reported that the committee could not agree on the question. It therefore asked the grand lodge to refer the matter to a committee of five, to report at a special meeting a year hence. This report was adopted by a two-thirds vote.

Legislation at Lansing.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 19.—More than 200 bills were introduced in the two houses Thursday. A large number of these bills are directed at corporations. One of them seeks to repeal the special charters of the Michigan Central and Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad companies, and another provides for the taxation of express companies, the rate being \$1 on each \$100 of gross earnings in Michigan.

J. J. McCook as Attorney General.

New York, Feb. 19.—A special from Canton to the New York Herald says President-elect McKinley has ceased to drift in his search for the New York member of his cabinet. He has definitely decided upon Colonel John J. McCook for attorney general. The appointment, it is stated, was agreed upon at the conference between the major and National Committeeman Hanna Wednesday.

Knitting Mill To Resume.

Woonsocket, R. I., Feb. 19.—The Glenark Knitting Company's mill, the largest of its kind in the country, will start up on full time next Monday, as a number of orders have been received. It had been running four days a week for the past three months. It employs 300 hands.

Will Amend the School Law.

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 19.—The Manitoba legislature opened Thursday. Lieut.-Gov. Patterson, in his speech from the throne said a bill to amend the school law in accordance with the recent terms of settlement with the Dominion government would be introduced.

Boston Banker Goes Wrong.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 19.—Ewing F. Chapin, receiving teller of the Fourth National bank, has disappeared and it is alleged that his books reveal a shortage of \$10,000. Reverses in speculation are said to have been the cause of his downfall. President Kimball of the institution says the bank will lose nothing. It is thought Chapin is in Canada.

Major McKinley Has Recovered.

Canton, O., Feb. 19.—Dr. T. H. Phillips Thursday gave out the following statement concerning the president-elect: "Major McKinley has about recovered from his illness, but needs and must have absolute rest and quiet. He cannot receive any callers this week, nor will he go to Cleveland before the first part of next week."

BANKS NEEDN'T PAY FOR EXAMINATIONS

SENATE PASSED THE BILL RELEASING THEM.

To Investigate the Workings of the Australian System of Land Registration—Cities Can Condemn Land—Assembly Passes Soldiers' Heirs' Measures—Adjourns to Monday.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 19.—[Special]—A long wrangle took place in the assembly over the re-funding bill of the state agricultural society. It was finally laid over until Monday night.

The senate passed the bill releasing the state banks from paying the expenses of the examinations by the state bank examiner after a short debate in which Senator Koch declared that negligence of banks had made necessary the office of bank examiner, and they should be made to pay the expense.

The bill passed the senate amending the constitution and giving the legislature power to limit taxation. A resolution was passed creating a special committee to investigate and report on the workings of the Australian system of land registration, as was also a bill giving cities the power to condemn land for public purposes.

Bills were passed in the assembly, compelling the bank examiner to report to the state treasurer; authorizing certain moneys in the hands of the state treasurer to be paid to the heirs of soldiers to whom the money belongs.

Both houses adjourned to Monday night, after a long struggle to have the adjournment go over to Tuesday.

Whitehead Bill Passes.

Madison, Feb. 19.—Yesterday's session was notable for the passage by the senate of a bill forbidding, under severe penalties, the sale of cigarettes or cigarette materials to boys under eighteen years of age; also for the killing by the senate of all bills for the repeal of the Sunday laws. A bill was also passed requiring jurors to be summoned by mail; and Mr. Whitehead's "auctioneer bill" was ordered to a third reading.

GREECE WILL NOT GIVE UP.

King George May Take Personal Command of the Army.

Athens, Feb. 19.—Col. Vassos, the commander in chief of the Greek army of occupation in Crete, in the name of King George, is establishing there a system of administration.

M. Skouzes, the minister of foreign affairs, has replied to the last communication from the representatives of Greece to recall her torpedo flotilla so long as the excitement continues in Crete.

Stopped a Greek Ironclad.

Canea, Feb. 19.—All of the Greek consulates on the Island of Crete have lowered their flags. The British and Italian torpedo boats stopped the Greek ironclad Hydra, which was conveying provisions to the Greek camp.

Col. Vassos, commander of the Greek forces, has decided to attack and occupy several strategic points.

Turkish volunteers and refugees who have been brought here by a transport state that 100 Mussulmans have been killed at Serakinos and Selinos and that an equal number have been killed in the surrounding country.

Not Seriously Opposing Greece.

Berlin, Feb. 19.—It is learned that the proposal of Germany to blockade the Piraeus, the port of Athens, in order to put a check upon the warlike ardor of Greece, was vetoed by Great Britain and there is little prospect of its being adopted. This, with other information, tends to strengthen the belief that the great powers are not seriously opposing Greece.

William to Meet the Czar.

London, Feb. 19.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Berlin says: "Emperor William has wired the czar requesting a personal interview owing to the gravity of Cretan affairs. 'The Black sea fleet has steamed for Constantinople under command of Grand Duke Alexis.'"

Spain Having Trouble at Home.

Madrid, Feb. 19.—The Imparcial and other newspapers of this city are calling the government's attention to the revival of the Carlist agitation in Catalonia and the Basque provinces. It is reported that the Carlists are buying arms and preparing for a coup de main.

Assembly Site Is Selected.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Feb. 19.—The commission to permanently locate the summer assembly and training school for the Epworth league has decided upon Colfax, because the proposition of that city was the best of all in the state.

Pardon Board Is Favored.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 19.—The senate committee on education Thursday reported favorably Senator Bogardus' bill creating a board of pardon. The bill was referred to this committee by request of the author, as he was anxious to get it before the senate.

FAIR PLANS MATURE AS THE DAYS PASS

PROGRAM FOR THE INSTITUTE IS COMPLETED.

Sup't George McKerron Will Be in Charge—The Premium List For the Miscellaneous Department Is Made Out—More Prizes Are Given.

The program for the farmer's institute to be held in connection with the midwinter fair March 2 and 3 has been made out and Superintendent McKerron will be in charge. It is as follows:

TUESDAY MORNING SESSION, 10 O'CLOCK.
Manures and Fertilizers.....C. P. Goodrich
Crop Rotation.....Supt. George McKerron
AFTERNOON SESSION, 1:30 O'CLOCK.
Cheese Making.....J. W. Decker
The Cow for Profit.....C. P. Goodrich
Conformation of the Horse.....Prof. J. A. Craig
EVENING SESSION, 7:30 O'CLOCK.

MUSIC.
A Plea for the Cook Book.....Mrs. Charles Kendall Adams
An Address.....Prof. W. A. Henry
An Address.....Hon. Ogden H. Fethers
MUSIC.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION 9:30 O'CLOCK.
Our Common Birds and Their Benefit to the Farmer.....Supt. George McKerron
Profits in Sheep.....Supt. George McKerron
Small Fruits.....E. J. Scofield
Economic Feeding.....Supt. George McKerron
AFTERNOON SESSION 1:30 O'CLOCK.
Beet Sugar and Sugar Beets.....Prof. W. A. Henry
Roads.....Supt. George McKerron
Tuberculosis.....Prof. H. L. Russell

Questions and discussions after each topic.

William F. Kuhlman, the blacksmith, will shoe the "horses" of the farmers showing the best ear of corn of his own raising free of charge. The sewing machine donated by the Singer Manufacturing Company is now on exhibition at Stearns & Baker's store. The machine will be given to the maker of the best unlaundered skirt.

MORE PRIZES FOR THE FAIR.

The Miscellaneous Department List Is Now Made Up.

The prizes for the miscellaneous department at the mid winter fair are as follows:

Department 6 Miscellaneous.
Best Gallon Sauer Kraut—1st Janesville Journal 1 year, H. W. Erick; 2nd, 10 pound loaf rye bread, August Gehrke.

Girl Under Eighteen With Longest Hair—1st one trimmed hat, Olive Sadler; 2nd 2 pounds candy, A. Gelling.

Tallest Girl—1st trimmed hat, Miss Bellinghouser; 2nd 25 pounds taffy candy, Paul Gehrke.

Largest Dozen Hens' Eggs—1st pitcher pump, McVicar Bros; 2nd, plush cap, J. J. Ford.

Best Dressed Turkey—1st one pair fowls, George Kastner; 2nd, 1 pump, J. T. Stack.

Best Dressed Pair Chickens—1st fifty pound Shipman's white lead—Palmer & Bonesteel; 2nd one year Western Agricultural and Live Stock Journal, T. B. Buxtonworth.

Most Ridiculous Team In Harness Exhibited At the Mid Winter Fair—1st one butt plug tobacco, E. J. Schmidley; 2nd plush cap, J. D. Holmes.

The Largest Pair Shoes we can Get Made—for Gentleman they fit Best, A. Richardson Shoe Co.

The Best Looking Young Lady between the ages of sixteen and twenty 1st pair 86 shoes, F. M. Marzluft & Co.; 2nd 5 pound box Fine Hand Made Ocho late, by B. DeForest, agent; 3d Perfume Atomizer filled with Cologne, Ed. O. Smith & Co.

For the best Hand Made Unlaundried Plain White Skirt, to be made from Bleached Muslin without the use of Sewing Machine, Singer Sewing Machine Manufacturing Co.; 2nd B. & G. Satin Corset, \$4, Bort, Bailey & Co.; 3d One-half Dozen Photographs, Geo. W. Wise.

To the Farmer in Rock County who can show the longest Continuous Possession of any Tract of Land, a Complete Abstract of Title of his farm will be given by A. E. Tanberg.

For the Longest, most Inconsistent, Illogical Treatise on the Sources and Results of Delusion—One Warehouse Truck, R. J. Richardson.

Best Snow Apples, to be Grown by Farmer—1st twelve red Dutch current six Downing gooseberries, J. M. Edwards & Son; 2nd six red Dutch currants six Downing gooseberries, J. M. Edwards & Son.

Best Five Varieties of Apples—1st 250 strawberry plants, George J. Kellogg & Sons; 2nd 150 strawberry plants, George J. Kellogg & Sons; 3rd 100 strawberry plants, George J. Kellogg & Sons.

Best Plate Golden Russets—1st fifty strawberry plants, George J. Kellogg & Sons.

Best Plate Windsor Chiefs—1st fifty strawberry plants, George J. Kellogg & Sons.

Best Plate Tallman Sweet's, 1st fifty strawberry plants, George J. Kellogg & Sons.

Best Plate Wolf River—1st fifty strawberry plants, George J. Kellogg & Sons.

Best Fanase or Snow—1st fifty strawberry plants, George J. Kellogg & Sons.

Best Plate N. W. Greening—1st fifty strawberry plants, George J. Kellogg & Sons.

Tallest Man—1st 1 barrel Robinson's ale, N. B. Robinson & Co; 2nd, \$1 shaving ticket, Orrin Matthews.

The Proudest Farmer—To be decided by vote, mounted peacock, F. F. Barton.

Hausum of Patch Work Quilt—1st \$6 rag, J. A. Bestwick & Sons; 2nd, \$3 cushion, W. H. Ashcraft.

Best Embroidered Center Piece—1st \$5 "W O C" corset, J. M. Bestwick &

Sons; 2d 5-pound box candy, John Spivak.
Most Popular Farmer—by vote—One copy "Shakespeare," \$2, Bill Baxter, Recorder poet.

HENRY D. LLOYD TO LECTURE
Chicago Newspaper Man Will Talk to a Janesville Audience.

The noted Chicago journalist so long associated with the Chicago Tribune, Henry D. Lloyd, is to speak in All Souls the Peoples church Sunday evening, March 14. Mr. Lloyd is a recognized authority in matters relating to labor reform. His lecture on "William Morris the Socialist Poet" will be full of interest to all thoughtful students of present-day problems. Henry D. Lloyd is the author of "Wealth Versus Commonwealth," recently published by Harper Brothers, a monumental attack upon monopolies in general and the Standard Oil trust in particular.

BOUGHT MUCH LEAF NEAR LINE CITY

T. B. EARLE A HEAVY PURCHASER.

Edgerton Man Picks Up Seventy-Five Tons of Tobacco at Prices Ranging From Five to Seven Cents—Local Market Is Lively, the Tobacco Leaf Says.

Beloit, Wis., Feb. 19.—[Special]—There was quite a flurry in the tobacco market here yesterday and local dealers evinced much excitement when it became known that T. B. Earle & Co., of Edgerton, had purchased seventy-five tons of tobacco from farmers adjacent to Beloit, the price ranging from five to seven cents. The first shipment, about twenty-five tons was made yesterday afternoon, and all day wagon loads of tobacco arrived in the city and were transferred to the cars, each load being estimated as worth \$100. About \$4,500 in cash was paid to the farmers for the tobacco they delivered yesterday.

Local market conditions, the Leaf says retain the activity that has characterized them for some weeks past. In fact the activity is increasing as the tobacco in the hands of the farmers becomes more scarce. Buyers claim that considerable riding has to be done to get any tobacco and many of them are on the road almost daily and some firms have two or three men riding.

Buyers seem determined to pick up all the old leaf in the state of all ages and grades. All outlying sections are visited and every nook and corner looked into; every barn, granary and cellar is peered into, in quest of some lot of old leaf that may have escaped the notice of some previous buyer, who was less inquisitive.

Demand Is Good.
Wrappers, binders, fillers and strip stock are all in good demand and find a ready sale at current prices. On good clean fillers and binders prices are somewhat on the up grade.

As most of our dealers are on the road a large part of the time we are unable to give all the transactions, but know of some. George H. Rumrill sold 400 cases of old leaf and bought liberally; S. B. Heddies sold 100 cases and bought some small lots; F. S. Balnes, Soverhill & Porter, Samuel Grundy, A. N. Jones, L. B. Earle, J. B. Dearborn, J. M. Thayer, E. M. Calkins, T. E. Welsh, E. Sayer, Robert Erler, E. S. Head, Bert Richardson, H. M. Handy, Joseph Grundy, J. A. Decker and others are riding, most of them for old goods.

Local Leaf Notes.

Joseph Grundy opened his assorting room Monday.

S. Grundy has closed down his assorting room for a few days.

Harry Hamburger of Philadelphia, was a visitor in this market Tuesday.

G. H. Rumrill shipped one car from Beloit, three from this city and two from Evansville this week.

Robert Erler and E. S. Head keep as busy as bees in clover time buying and packing the seductive weed.

Soverhill & Porter received six carloads of tobacco at Stoughton last week and it will be stored in Milton.

W. T. Pomeroy of the Edgerton leaf firm of Pomeroy & Patton, compared notes with local leaf men Wednesday.

L. Weil, of New York, was a visitor in our market Wednesday. T. E. Welsh is putting up a packing of '96 for him.

Mayor Baines is spending most of his time among the farmers in the vicinity of Stoughton, in quest of the weed nicotians.

G. W. Spitzner, of the New York leaf house of Spitzner & Co., accompanied by H. W. Child, of Edgerton, were in this market Tuesday. J. A. Decker is packing '93 for Spitzner & Co.

Henry Brace of the town of Fulton, delivered ten wagon loads of old tobacco to T. B. Earle in this market Wednesday. The ten wagon loads went up Milwaukee street in a line and made quite a procession. Mr. Earle is receiving large quantities of old leaf in this city for storage.

The following firms are operating assorting rooms in this city and elsewhere: J. L. & M. F. Greene, Janesville and Milton; G. H. Rumrill, Janesville and Evansville; L. B. Earle, Joseph Grundy, Robert Erler, S. B. Heddies, T. E. Welsh, Soverhill & Porter, J. B. Dearborn, A. N. Jones, Samuel Grundy and J. A. Decker, make thirteen in operation in this city.

FURTHER plans for the butchers ball were made at a meeting held last evening. It will occur on April 22.

MADE TIES MATCH WITH THE GOWNS

CONCORDIA SOCIETY MEMBERS MADE MERRY.

Last Night's Social Event Was a Very Pleasant One—The Bon Ami Whist Club's Closing Meeting—Meadames Lappin, Doty and Hyzer Entertain—Other Social Notes.

Among all the social events given by the Concordia society, and their name is legion, the calico party at the society's hall last night will go into history as one of the most enjoyable. During the grand march, each of the gentlemen were handed calico neckties. It was then expected that they should find the lady wearing a dress of the same material, and dance with her. This afforded much amusement. Smith's singing quartette furnished the music and it was of a high order. Refreshments were served in the ante room and the revelry continued until one o'clock this morning. The committees were as follows:

The guests included:

Messrs. and Mesdames—
Charles W. Wisch, Edward Pienich, Charles Seem, William J. Irwin, John E. Hryn, J. W. Bauman, William Heller, John Zebel, William Ku ek, William Klenow, Chas. Muelenschlaeder, J. M. Ehringer, Edwin Lamo, Misses—
Sadie Kurpe, Anna Muenchow, Marie Muelenschlaeder, Hattie Smith, Emma Kueck, Nellie Welch, Amelia Viermann, Lena Daverkosen, Fred Boushner, Alex. McLean, A. J. Thompson, Beloit; John Falter, Edwin Lee, John Brown, J. C. Karl, M. L. Lippold, Merton Brennae, Ellen Lorentzen.

Messrs.—
Ed. O. Smith, Louis Barthling, Harry Barker, E. M. Dermody, E. J. McCue, Elmer Grove, G. H. Drummond, T. J. McKeigue, Peter Champion, D. B. Worthington, Beloit; George Kueck, Fred Smith, John K. Eff, Alfred Jerg, R. E. Clemens, William Scott, Fred Boushner, Alex. McLean, A. J. Thompson, Beloit; John Falter, Edwin Lee, John Brown, J. C. Karl, M. L. Lippold, Merton Brennae, Ellen Lorentzen.

Bon Ami Club Meets

Mrs. F. H. Baack and Mrs. H. D. Murdock entertained the members of the Bon Ami club and their husbands last evening at the residence of Mrs. Baack, 107 South Third street, the event being a calico party and the closing meeting of the season. Miss Maud Murdock and Master Howard Baack received the guests in a most gracious manner. Refreshments were served at small tables and in the game of whist that followed Mrs. W. J. Skelly and H. D. Murdock and Mrs. G. S. Parker and Charles Tarrant distinguished themselves. Mrs. George S. Parker was awarded the prize for the best costume. After supper the gentlemen adjourned to the smoking room, and when they emerged, each was attired in a pair of overalls. This little "surprise party" created much amusement and W. F. Palmer was voted the prize cribbage board for being "the best looking farmer."

The guests:

Messrs. and Mesdames—
Charles Tarrant, W. F. Palmer, E. A. Hyde, E. C. Johnson, Charles P. McLean, George S. Parker, Charles D. Stevens, W. H. J. Skelly, Frank H. Baack, Hiram D. Murdock.

Gave a Delightful Ladies' Tea.

A delightful five o'clock tea was given by Mesdames Mary J. Lappin, Mary E. Doty and E. M. Hyzer yesterday afternoon, at their home, 252 Park Place. Progressive euchre was the principal amusement, the favors being awarded to Mrs. W. G. Wheeler and Mrs. A. T. Kemmitt. The rooms were tastefully decorated with cut flowers, and dainty refreshments were served at small tables.

The New Eight Bells

The "New Eight Bells" was presented at the opera house last evening, and a very large audience was present. The play is as amusing as ever, and time has brought changes for the better. The Byrne troupe of acrobats do some wonderful work, and the specialties were all good. The rifle shooting of Misses Cook and Clinton was a decided novelty, and they were liberally applauded.

GATHERING OF OLD SETTLERS.

Early Residents Attend a Golden Wedding at Beloit.

Beloit, Wis., Feb. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. William Jack celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary this evening. They were among the first settlers of Rock county and the occasion was a reunion of old settlers.

THE PAST WEEK AT MILTON

Events of Interest That Happened in The College Town.

{THE GAZETTE AGENCY,
W. W. CLARKE, Manager.
Milton, Wis., Feb. 19, 1897

Friends of both sexes surprised Miss Josie Coon Thursday evening with a birthday party. A dainty luncheon was served and a memento of her natal day was presented. The evening was a very pleasant one for all who participated therein.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jassen of Milwaukee, are being entertained by James P. Bullis and wife. Mrs. Jassen is a sister of Mrs. Bullis.

Captain Norcross of Janesville, shook hands with Milton friends Thursday.

Mr. Burdick, who has been visiting relatives here for some time, returned to his home at Scott, N. Y., Friday.

Mrs. Damon Fuller of Edgerton, was in town Thursday.

John W. Hudson, son and daughter of Madison, and George W. Hudson of Minneapolis, were in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. D. F. Hudson, the latter remaining for a brief visit with his brothers.

Carl Davy, who has been operating at Genesee for months, is at home enjoying a vacation incident to an over supply of operators.

Mrs. B. Richardson returned from her visit with her daughter, Mrs. Walrath at Mitchell, S. D., Thursday.

Two young gentlemen from Janesville were in the village Tuesday, talking up a scheme for an electric light plant at this place and the Junction.

Mrs. Emma Place is slowly improving from her recent severe illness.

Sleighing played out before the people stopped using sleighs.

Mesdames Leonard and Parsella, who have been visiting relatives at Stillwater, Minn., for several weeks, returned Tuesday.

Rev. Dr. Platts and family are now pleasantly located in their new home on Cottage street.

Soverhill & Porter had a sampling force at work here a portion of the week.

Mrs. E. H. Gifford of Janesville, has been spending the week in town.

George Jackson and W. S. Holmes sold their bail out tobacco this week to Soverhill and Porter, at three and one.

Hon. S. C. Carr gave a descriptive lecture of his European trip at College Chapel Wednesday evening and had a good hearing.

John Vandewalker, who is stopping with relatives in New York is reported ill with pneumonia, and as he is eighty-seven years of age his recovery is very doubtful.

"Uncle" Simon Alder is confined to the house by illness but the many friends of the old gentleman hope to see him out again soon.

Dr. J. F. Maxson, of the Boulder, Colorado, sanitarium, is the guest of his father-in-law, S. S. Thomas. The doctor has not been here before in fourteen years and notes many changes.

The friends of Miss Sarah Rodger will be glad to hear that she is again able to be out.

Washington's birthday will be observed here by the pupils of the public school. The exercises will be held in the Congregational church at 3 o'clock p. m. and the public is invited.

Chas. Stillman, who is attending a business college in Rockford, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Boss.

SOME ORFORDVILLE NEWS NOTES

Students Come to See H. C. Taylor's Jersey Cattle—Other Events.

Orfordville, Feb. 19.—The public telephone station has been removed from the hotel and placed in the drug store. About twenty-five of the short course Agricultural students came down from Madison on Saturday for the purpose of judging stock. They spent the day inspecting H. C. Taylor's Jersey herd. Robert Siedel who has been spending a number of weeks at Orfordville, was called to his home in Milwaukee Saturday, by the sickness of a friend. Cards are out announcing the wedding of Carl K. Strand and Miss Louise Trostum on Wednesday evening. We understand that their future home will be in Minnesota. Miss Ingrid Bergun delivered a temperance lecture at the Baptist church on Wednesday. A goodly number attended and all seem well pleased. Miss Lola Taylor, who teaches school at Spring Valley, Corners, enjoyed a very pleasant surprise from about twenty of her scholars, on Saturday evening of last week. The surprise was complete and the evening was spent in informal sociability. F. P. Smiley, who teaches the school in District No. 2, town of Newark, will have old fashioned spelling school next Saturday evening. All are invited. Louis Fossum of the town of Newark, and Miss Lena Stevedon, of Beloit, were married on Wednesday of last week, by Rev. J. A. Bergh. They will make their home in the town of Newark, where Mr. Fossum is one of the leading farmers. Miss Susie Taylor, who has been spending the winter months at Davenport.

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Liver Ills

Like biliousness, dyspepsia, headache, constipation, sour stomach, indigestion are promptly cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work

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They Are Here. The McCall Fashion Sheets

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We are in good running order, having a large stock of patterns, and can furnish almost any number desired.

The McCall Patterns are the easiest to understand, are the most economical, and are thoroughly up to date.

The Spring and Summer number of the Bazar Dress Maker has arrived and we can supply it to all who wish at 20, or by mail 25c.

The Queen of Fashion

is a monthly, published by The McCall Co. It is a magazine for every member of the family. Contains latest fashion news, hints for amateur dressmakers, household news, fancy work, and stories; the new styles are nicely illustrated and are fully described. It is the cheapest (in price only) ladies' magazine published, being but 50c a year, which includes one pattern free. Single numbers 5 cents each, at our store.

New Organdies.

Genuine French, in lovely floral designs—received Friday last; extra fine quality. There are imitations, but none like them in the city. All in dress lengths, no two alike.

Something New.

Silk and wool mixtures in lovely mottled, iridescent effects, 44 inch—\$1.25. They are beautiful novelties medium weight, and will wear. The name is Polaris.

Seems Late

to some, but we are selling now from three to ten Cloaks every day. They are certainly low.

The Same Old Story...

Breathless, excited, she rushed into the store, dashed up to a clerk and in broken utterances declared that she had paid too much for a certain kind of goods; that she could buy identically the same thing elsewhere at five cents a yard less. Our clerk, with face illuminated by a Utopian smile, pleasantly remarked that possibly the article in question was better quality, and asked the lady to make a fair comparison before turning us down. The next time that lady came to our store she was in better spirits, and took pains to find the clerk with whom she had had the above conversation. After apologizing for being so hasty the last time she was in, she informed our clerk that she had made it a point to compare notes, much to her satisfaction, as she always thought we kept the quality up. It was just as our clerk said, the quality of our goods was very much better and while only five cents more was worth fully twenty-five cents more as far as the wear was concerned. It pays to get good quality when it costs but a slight advance over the inferior, and in many cases no more. At The Big Store.

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P. E. NEUSES, Secretary
Telephone 89.

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WEST SIDE BAKERY.

161 W. Milwaukee St.
..PAUL GEHRKE, Prop..

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is always connoisseur as to what constitutes the proprieties and necessities of a gentleman's wardrobe. The first thing he points out to the uninitiated is the fact that the linen of a well bred man should be always clean, spotless and above reproach. Our patrons are all well bred men, and that is why we retain their patronage. Our linen is always laundered perfect in every way. Late machinery has all to do with fine laundry work.

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Coal Choice Enough For Table Use.....

Accompanying an invoice of ten carloads of Coal is a letter from the miner saying: "The Coal we have ordered to you is so choice that it will do for table use. They say they are going to give it passenger train service."

Crossett & Bonesteel,
Crossett & Bonesteel, P. O. Janesville.
Phone 238

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1473—Nicolaus Copernicus, Polish astronomer
who demonstrated the system of planetary
orbits, born in Prussia Poland; died 1543.1718—Admiral Lord Rodney, who secured Brit-
ish supremacy in the West Indies, born,
died 1792.

1821—Spain ratified the treaty ceding Florida.

1827—General Charles Robert Woods, a noted
Federal soldier, born at Newark, O.; died
there Feb. 23, 1885.1800—Sir William Napier, British military his-
torian, died; born 1755.1877—Admiral Charles H. Bell, U. S. N., died
in New Brunswick, N. J.; born in New
York 1798.1891—Professor Alexander Winchell, famous
American geologist, died at Ann Arbor,
Mich.; born in Dutchess county, N. Y.,
1824.1894—Joseph Keppler, famous cartoonist and
one of the founders of Puck, died in New
York city; born 1838. Miss Anna Ella Car-
roll of Maryland, who claimed to have
originated the idea of a campaign against
Fort Donelson in 1862, died at Washington,
born 1816.1896—A part of the town of Johannesburg,
South Africa, wrecked by a dynamite ex-
plosion; over 100 deaths.

LAUNDRY TRICKS.

Victims of Strange Signs Tell How They

Have Been Branded.

From New York Sun: "Since I came
to New York, twelve years ago," said
one man in the group, "I have been
known in the laundry world as 'R 9'.I don't suppose I could get rid of that
mark whatever I should do. It identifies
me as persistently as a hand with
one finger gone. It came about in the
most accidental way. I sent my clothes
to a certain laundry late in 1883, when
I first moved to New York. They came
back marked 'R 9'. Every successive
laundry has put that mark back on
them until I am now so firmly fixed as
'R 9' that I never expect to be desig-
nated under any other device.""I'm 'W Z,' answered a small, meek
man, apologetically, "and I never could
fathom the imagination of the washer-
woman who decided to label me 'W Z'.My collars are only fourteens, and
there's nothing about my clothes to
lead anybody to think I ought to be
branded with any such impossible com-
bination of consonants as 'W Z'. There
are undoubtedly men that 'W Z' might
suit, but I'm not one of them. The
difficulty of the matter is that these
laundresses may be picturesque enough
in the first instance, although when
one makes a mistake of judgment the
rest follow, like sheep. Any woman
who keeps on marking a fourteen col-
lar 'W Z' shows a lack of inventiveness
that is painful even in a laundress.""My name is Jones," the third man of
the group said, "and I haven't a drop
of German blood in my body. I never
had a German ancestor, and I know
nothing about Germany. But in the
laundry annals I am irretrievably
known as 'Krauss'. Nine years ago I
moved to New York, and came here af-
ter having traveled for several weeks.
I put all my wash into my trunk, and
when I reached New York there was
quite an accumulation. I went out to
a laundry in the neighborhood, and
told the man to send around to the
house for my clothes. Before that I had
told the servant to give my clothes to
anybody who called, and it happened
that a boy came first for the clothes
of a lodger above me. Of course, he
got mine instead, and it happened that
the other man's name was known. So
my entire laundry came back marked
'Krauss'. How they happened not to
notice that they had never been marked
before I don't know. But I am still
known as 'Krauss' in the laundry set;
collars wear out and shirts fall to
pieces, only to be known anew as
'Krauss'. The other man told me that
his clothes came back from the laun-
dry marked 'J. Krauss'. That was the
only tribute to my name, Jones, that
was shown on that occasion. Whether
the other man's name stuck to him or
not I never heard. But I have been
'Krauss' for nine years, as much as the
marks on my linen can make me that."

THE SAD SEA WAVES.

Action of the Mighty Ocean Along the

Coast.

Ever since the land and water were
formed upon the earth and separated by
well-defined boundaries the configura-
tion of continents and islands has
been constantly changing and shifting
by the action of the sea waves, says
Lippincott's. Whole islands have been
cast up violently out of the sea or
formed slowly but surely by the tides
and currents of centuries; continents
have been cut in half and built up by
a like process, and known lands have
disappeared beneath the waves of the
ocean. Mighty rivers have cut deep
valleys in the land and carried the
waste deposits to the bed of the ocean,
where new islands and peninsulas have
been subsequently formed. Of all geo-
logical wonders the history of the
earth's changes by the action of the
ocean and its tributaries is the greatest
and most interesting. Through the
countless ages of the past this mighty
process has been gradually evolving
new soils and climates, washing away
the old and renewing the primitive vir-
ginity of the worn-out lands with the
rich sediments of the ocean's bed.
Rugged rocks have been undermined

and tumbled into the ocean by the
ceaseless rolling of giant waves, and
miles of sea-beaches have been swept
inland to engulf fertile farm regions
and even to submerge cities and towns.
Expensive works of man along the
coast have been crushed and washed
away as though they were but toys for
a summer day's pleasure. The visit-
ors at the seashore in the summer days
see only the mild side of the ocean's
life. The quiet, lapping waves, the
beautiful foam-crested surf breaking
upon the white strand, have little of
awe and terror in them. That these
peaceful swells can be changed into
the greatest power for evil known to
man can scarcely be realized by those
who have never witnessed a heavy
storm along the coast. A storm in mid-
ocean is fearful enough, but the action
of the ocean along the coast is ten
times more terrible and powerful. Nu-
merous rocks, sand bars and obstruct-
ing headlands interfere with the grand
movement of the waves and tide in
one general direction and the confusion
of tide, current and waves can be
likened only to a collision between two
fast-moving trains. There is the
shock that shatters the rolling seas
into a million sprays; the rebounding
and turning of powerful undercurrents;
the meeting of land and sea winds in a
fierce, titanic battle; the roar and
shriek of storm and seething sea; and
miles of angry waters, vainly endeavor-
ing to sweep away the obstructions
that have impeded their progress.

Wilson Accepts the Office.

Washington, Feb. 19.—All rumors as to
the plans of Postmaster-General
Wilson after the close of the present
administration were definitely set at
rest Thursday by the authorized an-
nouncement that he had accepted the
offer of the presidency of the Washing-
ton and Lee university, located at
Lexington, Va. He will be in readi-
ness to take charge of that institu-
tion July 1, when the resignation of
the present president, Gen. George
Washington Custis Lee takes effect.

Western Generosity.

The cold flag is up again and we are
promised a genuine blizzard from the
west. We are glad to state that the
most cordial relations exist between
that section and the south. When the
west has anything out of the ordinary
she is always willing to divide with
us. Many of our adopted citizens have
had free transportation south on west-
ern cyclones—Atlanta Constitution.

Thinks Gary Has Been Chosen.

Washington, Feb. 19.—Senator-Elect
Wellington of Maryland was asked con-
cerning the report that James M. Gary
of his state had been selected for post-
master-general, and replied: "I think
it is true. We believe he will be the
next postmaster-general."

Cleveland to Go Cruising.

Greenwich, Conn., Feb. 19.—E. C.
Benedict's steam yacht Oneida is being
prepared for a cruise in southern wa-
ters. Because of the fact that the order
is that everything must be in readiness
by March 4 it is surmised that Presi-
dent Cleveland will be Mr. Benedict's
guest on the projected cruise.

A Paying Partnership.

Struggling Playwright (gloomily)—
There is no chance for talent in these
days, no chance at all.
Stranger—That's because you don't
know how to use your talents. Go into
partnership with me, and we'll both
make fortunes. All you need to do is to
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To Cure Nervous Dyspepsia.

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No trouble is more common or more mis-
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blame and are surprised that they are not
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dies; the real seat of the mischief is lost
sight of; the stomach is the organ to be
looked after.Nervous dyspepsia often do not have any
pain whatever in the stomach, nor perhaps
any of the usual symptoms of stomach
weakness. Nervous dyspepsia shows itself
not in the stomach so much as in nearly
every other organ; in some cases the heart
palpitates and is irregular; in others the
kidneys are affected; in others the bowels
are constipated, with headaches; still others
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valuable medicine, Stuart's Dyspepsia Ta-
blets. I have been a sufferer from nervous
dyspepsia for the last four years; have used
various patent medicines and other reme-
dies without any favorable result. They
sometimes gave temporary relief until the
effects of the medicine wore off. I attributed
this to my sedentary habits, being a book-
keeper with little physical exercise. But I
am glad to state that the tablets have over-
come all these obstacles, for I have gained
in flesh, sleep better, and am better in every
way. The above is written not for notoriety,
but is based on actual fact."Respectfully yours,
A. W. SHARPER.

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It is safe to say that Stuart's Dyspepsia
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Nothing reservedTwo quart covered tin pail.
One quart covered tin tea steeper.
One quart graduated tin measure.
Three quart deep tin basin.
Large strainer.
Large coffee strainer.
White enameled tin slab.
Six paper tacks.
Six clothes hooks.
Two nice, large, clear glass table
tumblers.
500 page pencil tablet.
Pocket memorandum book.
Comb case.
Nine-inch white plate.
Can opener.
Paring knife.
Potato masher.
Glass lemon squeezer.
And hundred other useful articles

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The desire for low prices is at
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chiefly of special offers is eagerly
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of the day

This Week at

THE BOSTON STORE.

Full quart bottle amonia. 10c
Fancy table catsup, large size bot-
tles. 5c
Lemon cling peaches, 3 lbs, full
weight can. 15c
3 lb. can good table peaches. 10c
3 cans. 25c
3 lb. can California plums, none
finer. 11c
3 lb. can early June peas, 10c; 3 for 25c
2 lb. can McMurray cucumbers. 15c
2 lb. can corn. 7c
2 lb. can gooseberries. 10c
2 lb. can blueberries. 10c
2 lb. can cooked hominy. 5c
2 lb. can string beans. 5c
3 lb. can California pink beans. 10c
Corn starch, package. 5c
Silver Gloss starch, bulk, pound. 5c
Oatmeal, 12 pounds. 25c
Prunes, pound. 5c
Dried apricots, pound. 5c

The Boston Store

7 and 9 S. River street.

TELEPHONE 239.

Shoe!!!

Opportunity

Extraordinary.

In order to make room for our large spring
stock we will make such low prices as will
move them quickly.Takes our famous ladies' box calf and enam-
el shoes that have always sold for \$4.00
and \$5.00.Buys that beautiful ladies' patent tip, Vic
and French Kid button and lace which have
been selling at \$4.00.Buys a Ladies' Dongola button or lace
shoe This shoe will wear wear and is fully
warranted.to \$2.00 buys a Calf Skin Shoe others would
ask you \$2.75 to \$3.00.Now for the gentlemen. We can knock
out all competition; the quality in our shoes
is unexcelled.to \$1.50 takes an Oil Grain Shoe, lace or
congress. \$1.50 buys a good wearing and a dress
shoe. \$2 to \$2.50 gives you a fine dress shoeWe carry a large line of patent leathers and
enamel shoes that will pay you to investigate.
Our stock of Boys' Misses' and children's shoes
go at the same proportionate low prices.P. S.—Please remember that with every 50c cash pur-
chase you are entitled to a coupon on the bicycle we are to
give away March 15th.

Bennett and Cram,

ON THE BRIDGE.

A FEW BARGAINS

—IN—

MISFIT GARMENTS

—AT THE—

Kniff & Allen Store.

One fine blue black Granite Cutaway Coat
and vest, size 44, made to order price
was \$30 take them now for. \$18One light colored and weight Scotch Sack
Suit, size coat and vest 37; pants, 33x33;
made to sell for \$29;
take them now for. 17One gray pinhead check Worsted Cutaway
Coat and Vest, size 34, made to order
price, \$5 take them for. 15One black Cheviot Cutaway Suit; size of coat
35 pants 2 1/2x32; made to sell for
\$28; take them now for. 18One black 1 diagonal Cutaway Coat and Vest,
size 41 1/2; made to order price was
\$28 take them now for. 18One Scotch Gray Pants and Vest; size vest,
43; pants, 43x31 1/2; made to order
price \$15; take them now for. 7One Gray Striped Cassimere Pant, size
waist 34, length 32; made to sell for
\$5.50; take them now for. 3One fine light Olive K-rsey Overcoat, size
44, made to sell for \$30;
take it now for. 20One Gray Striped Worsted Pant, size waist
35 1/2, length 35 1/2; were made for \$9;
take them for. 5

F. L. CLEMONS, Assignee

A Clear Com-
plexionIs soon obtained and longer retained by im-
proving the entire system. Ladies who wish to
be beautiful should go about it in a common-
sense way to secure good health without which
no person can be truly beautiful. No amount
of powders, cosmetics or creams can impart
lasting beauty to a face so long as the body is
filled with disease. That haggard, worn ex-
pression can not be obliterated by the "face car-
penter's" art. Health is essential to beauty and
makes beauty more satisfactory to yourself,
your family and your friends.M. Alden Morehouse, the New York Special-
ist, is here to stay. He is a successful worker
in the treatment of lingering diseases. If he
can restore you to perfect health you will be
just as beautiful as the wise Creator ever intend-
ed you to be. A body free from disease is a fit
dwelling place for a cheerful spirit which will
surely imprint itself upon the face.Consultation free. Office Muldock Flat, North
Franklin St., Janesville.

To be in style

Every lady should wear Puffs
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kinds made to order.

MRS. SADLER.

W. Milwaukee St. (Opposite post office)

SUITS MADE TO ORDER

\$14 to \$35.

Cleaning and repairing done by

H. ZANDER.

17 S. Main St. With Janesville Clothing Co.

We Could Give a List
of Reasons....

For the why and wherefores of these prices.
But what do you care why we do this?
Enough for you to know that we do it; whether
somebody's bad luck makes the opportunity
doesn't interest you so much as the fact that
there are goods here at one-half the usual price.

Romona Flannellettes.

Their regular value is 20c per yard, and you
who got a chance at the last lot will remember
them as a fabric with a honey-comb surface
and fleeced back, for house dresses, waists and
similar purposes; nothing was ever produced
that so catches the fancy as these goods. 8c
1,500 yards on sale today as before, at 8c

Ready-Made Skirts.

Ours are grand values, especially the number
in figured mohair, taffeta lined, which we are
letting out at \$1.89; and the better grade of
similar material at \$2.50; both are taffeta
lined throughout, velveteen bound and full
sweep, any \$1.89 and \$2.50
length

Nobby Jackets

Ladies and Misses will find us with a big show-
ing of winter garments: \$2.87, \$4.87, \$5.87,
worth up to \$18.00. Drop in.

ARCHIE REID & CO.

A NEW LOT
OF LACES...

And Special Prices
for Introduction Day,
Saturday, Feb. 20th.

We are proud of the line and want all our friends to see
how much beauty is possible at small cost. The line includes
Valenciennes, Honiton effects, Orientals and Silk Laces.

Valenciennes.

Dainty handkerchief possibilities abound in this
lot. Prices, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 10, 12 1/2 and 15c.

Oriental and Silk Laces.

A tempting line at 23 cents a yard, real
value 35 cents.

Honiton Effects.

Cream tints are prominent in this lot. Prices
for Saturday, 8, 10, 14, 25 and 35 cents.

Take advantage of this Saturday sale.

H. HOFFMASTER & SON.

18 South Main Street.

DR. MOTT'S
PENNYROYAL PILLS.
The only safe, sure and
reliable Female PILLS
ever offered to Ladies,
especially recommended
to married Ladies.
Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS and take no other.
Send for circular. Price \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00.
DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., - Cleveland, Ohio.
For sale by H. E. Ray, Janesville.

Subscribe For The Gazette.

TO BRING THE BODY HERE FOR BURIAL

JAMES WHITTAKER'S REMAINS TO REST HERE.

Corpse Was Found Floating in the River at Milwaukee Last Night—Undertaker Kimball and Alderman J. B. McLean Go to the Cream City This Morning.

In all probability the remains of James Whittaker, the well known Janesville cigar manufacturer whose body was found floating in the Milwaukee river last night, will be brought to this city tonight for burial.

Funeral services, to be conducted by Western Star Lodge No. 14, will be held from the North High street residence of M. J. Sullivan tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The interment will be in Oak Hill cemetery.

An inquest is being held at Milwaukee today. While all indications point to suicide, a Milwaukee dispatch to the Chicago Tribune says: "His friends believe that he has been foully dealt with, although the body bears no marks of violence."

The Milwaukee Sentinel tells the story as follows: "The body of James Whittaker, a wholesale cigar manufacturer of Janesville and well known throughout the state and Northern Michigan, was found in the river last evening. Whittaker had been missing since Jan. 2, and there is no doubt that he committed suicide, having threatened in a letter he sent to his wife at that time that he would end his life."

Well Known In Janesville.

"Whittaker was fifty years of age, and had been a resident of Janesville for many years. He was highly respected and until a few years ago was prosperous in business. He had conducted a cigar factory and had quite an extensive trade throughout the state and Northern Michigan. On December 23 last he left his home for a trip through the northern part of Wisconsin and Michigan, where he intended to make collections. He was unable to get money from his customers and the latter part of December returned to this city. Here he remained for several days. Whittaker had not touched liquor for fifteen years, but while in this city his business troubles worried him and he began to drink quite hard."

Wrote Despondent Letter.

On Jan. 2 he wrote a letter to his wife, informing her that he had no desire to return home because he was unable to pay bills which were due. He said he would send his papers and valuables by express. When the letter was received by Mrs. Whittaker she was very much alarmed. She notified Chief of Police John Hogan, of Janesville, and he telephoned the police in this city to find Whittaker. He could not be located, however, and several days later Chief Hogan and Alderman McLean, of Janesville, came to Milwaukee and began a search for the missing man, whom they had known for many years. His satchel was found in the saloon of William Pearson at the foot of Wisconsin street, where Whittaker spent most of his time while in the city.

Body Found in The River.

"Some of Whittaker's friends have been in the city several times since the valise was found, looking for the missing man, but he could not be found. Yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock a dock laborer on Buffalo street bridge saw the body of a man in the water. He notified Patrolman Ennis and with the assistance of Capt. Thompson of the F. & P. M. line the remains were taken from the river. The body was removed to the morgue, where it was identified from papers found in the pockets, among them being bills, checks, notes and insurance policies. Only five cents in money was found. He wore a chain but no watch. The body, though it had been in the water for a long time, was quite well preserved."

Mrs. Whittaker who is now at the home of Alderman and Mrs. J. B. McLean was notified at 10:30 o'clock this morning of her husband's death. Although she had been expecting bad news the shock was a severe one to her. She bore up bravely.

The body is expected to arrive in the city this evening and will be taken to the Kimball undertaking establishment.

GOT GOODLY SUM FOR THE POOR

Bort Bailey & Co. Charity Sale Netted Sixty Dollars.

The "charity sale" at Bort, Bailey & Company's store netted a goodly sum for the Associated Charities. When the day's receipts were figured up it was found that \$600 had come in over the counters. Of this amount the Associated Charities will get 10 per cent. or \$60.

Cigar Bargains.

A good cigar, Village Belle, 50 in box, 90 cents. A choice cigar, Grand Valor, 50 in box \$1.20. A fancy cigar, Old Judge, 50 in box, \$1.40 per box. A fancy cigar, Esperanza, 50 in box, \$1.40 per box. A fancy cigar, 50 in box, \$1.50 per box. A fancy cigar, The Witch, 50 in box, \$1.85 per box. These goods are all first class and are all bargains. Sanborn & Co.

Notice To Masons.

Members of Western Star Lodge No. 14 will meet in special communication at 1:30 o'clock sharp, Saturday, at the lodge rooms for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late James Whittaker. Janesville Lodge No. 55 and all visiting brothers are requested to be present. Order of W. M.

SOME NEWS FROM ROUND ABOUT

MONEY to loan. S. D. Grubb.

Mrs. and Mrs. Charles McCarthy—girl.

Put the midwinter fair project along.

The High school party will occur tonight.

This is the third Friday of the month.

ENCAMPMENT Odd Fellows will meet tonight.

EIGHTEEN show cases for a song at Lowell's.

ONE iron 18 inch fore plane, \$1.35 at Lowell's.

This is the rehearsal night for the Y. M. C. A. band.

LARGE size corn poppers only 14 cents at Lowell's.

This is the night for the Beggar's ball at the Armory.

Miss Macoon entertained the Art League this afternoon.

This is the regular meeting night for the Good Templars.

THE A. B. C. crackers still go at 5 cents a pound at Sanborn's.

THE Married Folks' club will meet at Concordia hall on Feb. 25.

ANOTHER reduction in that \$12 gas range, it goes for \$7.50 at Lowell's.

MEMBERS of the United Workmen will gather at their hall this evening.

12½ cents a pound, is all we ask for guaranteed pure maple sugar; its good. Sa born & Co.

150 pieces of these 36-inch percales. No other line in the city like them. Bort, Bailey & Co.

FRESH radishes, celery, tomatoes and lettuce for tomorrow; large invoice just in. Sanborn.

MEMBERS of the "Erminie" company rehearsed at the Caledonian society's rooms last evening.

WANTED—An experienced ironer in laundry. Permanent position. Enquire at Myers' Hotel office.

R. J. BENNETT will lecture on "Paris, the Bewitching City," at the Y. M. C. A. building this evening.

DELICIOUS Canadian turnips, fancy and sweet as squash, make elegant table relishes these days. Sanborn

BOY WANTED—Stout and willing boy to learn trade. Address stating age and experience. J. S. P. Gazette.

CHOICE Baldwins, Spitzs, bergs, Greenings and Russets in stock, don't forget apple prices are going up. Sanborn.

THE Beggar's Ball given by the Light Infantry Feb. 19, is strictly an invitation affair. Music by Smith's orchestra.

TWENTY-five pounds the best granulated sugar full weight for \$1, if accompanied by order, all this week at Sanborn's.

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MEMBERS of the Whist club were delightfully entertained by Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Sloan last evening, at their home on Park place.

No one will be allowed to dance at the Beggar's Ball until after 11 o'clock unless attired in true beggar's costume, Feb. 19.

SALES are increasing daily on those Original Italian chocolate creams. You'll buy no others after you test these. Sanborn.

MISS MABEL WOODBURY will give several banjo selections between acts during the performance of Erminie at the opera house.

ARNOLD H. TIFT is now the owner of the barbershop at 21½ North Main street, he having bought out his partner Harry Phillips.

REMEMBER that Tuesday, March 2, is the date of the annual Concordia masquerade. Concordia hall will be a lively place that night.

If your grocer does not keep Pearl White or Vienna flour and refuses to send them to you you can get them at the mill. J. M. Shackleton.

THE prizes to be given to the lady and gent wearing the best beggar's costumes at Beggar's Ball, can be seen in the window of Smith's drug store.

A VERY enjoyable social was given by the Modern Woodmen at Liberty hall last evening, and a large crowd attended. Morrill's orchestra played.

MAKE every \$5 you spend go a long ways in shoes. We will show you how to get two pair of the best kind of shoes for that money at our store. Richardson.

Miss Henrietta Gray, sister of Miss Gray, Sprague Warner & Co's demonstrator is in the city, and will assist in the sampling of Richelieu goods tomorrow at Sanborn's.

THE celebrated "Priestly" black dress goods are here. They are the kind that hold the rich black color as long as there is a thread of the goods left. Bort, Bailey & Co.

TWENTY pieces of beautiful new dress goods at 25 cents, and our word for it they are the best bargains in medium priced dress goods that will be offered this season. Bort, Bailey & Co.

At the Culture club meeting at Dr. Chittenden's this evening in place of the regular program Rev. Southworth will give a criticism upon Walt Whitman and readings from his prose works. The public is invited.

A SPECIAL musical feature of next Sunday evening's entertainment at the Peoples' church will be the singing by Mrs. C. H. Thorpe, of Milton Junction.

Mrs. Thorpe is the fortunate possessor of a voice of rare quality and those who fail to hear her will miss a treat.

GEN. ROBINSON DEAD AT BINGHAMPTON

WELL KNOWN VETERAN OFFICER NO MORE.

His Demise Occurred at Four O'clock Yesterday Afternoon, and Was Due to Bright's Disease—Mustered Noted Men Into His Country's Service—Other Mortuary Mentions.

Major-General John C. Robinson died at Binghamton, N. Y., late yesterday afternoon, aged 79 years. General Robinson was a major in the regular army when the war began. He was ordered to Ohio to muster in the regiments of that state, among them being the Twentieth Ohio, which were General Robinson's, R. B. Hayes, Stanley Matthews and William McKinley.

He was on the retired list of the regular army. His death was due to Bright's disease.

General Robinson was a brother-in-law of the late Hon. John J. R. Pease and Hamilton Richardson of this city and in days immediately preceding the war was frequently here when on furlough. He had many friends among the residents of Janesville.

Funeral of Mrs. Blood.

The remains of the late Mrs. Mary Ann Blood arrived in this city this morning at 6:30 from Minneapolis, Minnesota, and the funeral party left the C. & N. W. depot for Oak Hill cemetery at 10 o'clock. At the grave brief services were conducted by Rev. A. H. Barrington.

Mrs. Blood was born in Salem, Mass., March 20, 1811. She was married to Franklin F. Blood and they resided for some time in the house of Janesville. Mr. Blood died there in July, 1881. For the past ten years Mrs. Blood has made her home in Minneapolis with her son. She leaves a family of three children, J. Warren Blood of Minneapolis, Albert C. Blood, of Milwaukee and Mrs. David E. Field, of this city.

CITY TALES TOLD IN A LINE

A COLORED tramp found shelter at the jail last evening.

OVER a ton of wall paper has arrived in town for a local dealer.

MR. and Mrs. C. C. MacLean entertained the Whist club last evening.

LARGE lot of young chickens for your Sunday dinner, extra nice. Sanborn.

A DAUGHTER of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Galbraith is recovering from an attack of typhoid fever.

A LOCAL physician has taken over twenty five cords of wood of late from farmers on debts.

FIVE hundred bales Al choice timothy hay 40 cents at store and 45 cents delivered. F. A. Taylor.

THE last party to be given by the Young club, will take place on Tuesday evening, February 23.

THE Twenty club met with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sobnell last evening, and a very pleasant evening was spent.

A CHOICE lot of young dressed chickens 8 cents a pound at Carle's tomorrow. See prices in sixth column of this page.

HOT chicken soup made from Richardson & Robbins famous canning, will be served all day tomorrow at Sanborn's.

Do not fail to attend the lace sale tomorrow at H. Hoffmaster & Son. Laces of every description to be found at their store.

JAMES MOORE, a tramp, who it is claimed, stole a coat from Shattuck's restaurant, appeared in the municipal court this morning and his case was adjourned until tomorrow.

FIFTY exquisite novelty dress patterns, which come only one of a kind and when they are sold that ends it. No other Janesville dealer has them, or can get them. Bort, Bailey & Co.

FORTY pieces of novelty wool dress goods at 49 cents. When you see them and handle them we are quite sure you will say that they would be cheap at 75 cents. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Don't fail to hear about "Paris, the Bewitching City," and see one hundred beautiful pictures of it, at the Y. M. C. A. building tonight. Band concert at 7:30, lecture at 8. Admission to the two is fifteen cents.

LACK opportunities for careful buyers will abound at the lace sale at Hoffmaster's tomorrow. Valenciennes, Honiton effects, Oriental laces and silks will be found in pleasing variety and prices have all been cut for the day.

THERE will be a band concert in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium this evening, for a half hour preceding the lecture by R. J. Bennett on "Paris, the Bewitching City." There will be no extra charge for this, admission to both being 15 cents, and all should make it a point to be on hand.

R. J. BENNETT who delighted all who heard him and saw his beautiful pictures on Switzerland at the Y. M. C. A. building Wednesday evening, this evening at the same place. There will be a band concert for half an hour preceding the lecture. Admission to both is 15 cents.

Richelieu Quality.

Almost always a trial spoonful of delicious fruit or vegetables of the Richelieu brand, means a purchase, and if you once use any of the goods, the chances are, you'll use them right along. Ask Miss Gray about the goods at our store. Sanborn & Co.

THE PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO

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JOHN ANDERSON was in Clinton this afternoon.

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A. RYAN has been added to the force at Paul Gehrie's bakery.

REV. JOHN J. LUGG was in from Footville to spend the day.

DR. and Mrs. Ransom W. Edden are home from their wedding trip.

Mrs. Elizabeth Woodruff left this morning for a visit in Albany.

G. W. SPITZER one of the largest leaf dealers in the local market.

MR. and Mrs. E. B. Heimstreet are registered at the Pfister in Milwaukee.

CHARLES A. BROWN, of Milwaukee, district agent for the Blue Line is here.

Mrs. Charles L. Fidler is numbered among the sick, at her Jackson street home.

Mrs. EMMETT MILES left this morning for a visit with friends in Cleveland, O.

TICKET Seller Samuels of the St. Paul road has parted with his musache.

ALEX. GALBRAITH left this morning for Baraboo, to attend a farmer's institute.

Mrs. LAW PECKHAM of Marshfield, Iowa, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. St. John.

Mrs. FOSTER of Cedar Rapids, who has been visiting in the city, returned home today.

MR. and Mrs. Clarence Burdick arrived home this morning after a tour in Minnesota.

LOUIS JACOB, of Chicago, formerly a clothing clerk in this city, spent the day in town.

L. J. MURPHY, of New York City, formerly a local resident, greeted Janesville friends today.

MISS ALICE SHEARER and Miss Katherine Smith are the guests of Miss Louise Shearer at Madison.

Mrs. W. B. Britton was called to South Evanston yesterday, by the illness of her granddaughter.

E. R. SWARTHOUT and Joseph Little of Fork River N. D., are in the city looking over the local horse market.

JOHN FRANCIS leaves this evening for the eastern part of the state, in the interest of the Janesville Clothing company.

JOHN G. REXFORD and Victor P. Richardson leave next week for an extended tour of the South.

ALBERT C. BLOOD of Milwaukee, is in town, being here to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Mary Ann Blood, who died at Minneapolis.

C. H. TERTER, president of the Chippewa Land and Mineral Company of Minneapolis, who has been the guest of J. H. Lamphier, has returned home.

THURSDAY evening friends congregated at the home of Mrs. Leda Reeder in the town of LaPrairie to participate in a party given in honor of her guest, Mrs. John Lynch, of Shreveport, La.

Doubtful Compliment.

Mayor of the town—I introduce to you, ladies and gentlemen, Doctor Mossie, who has kindly consented to deliver his learned lecture on prehistoric races. Doctor Mossie—Ladies and gentlemen: I am sorry to see so small an audience. But, of course, I know this to be one of the most intelligent communities in our state.

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CHINESE SHANTIES FALL.

Disagreeable Buildings Torn Down in the Chinatown of San Francisco.

Another attack on the Chinatown shanties which the health authorities have condemned as dangerous to life and a menace to the health of the city was made recently by the gang of house-destroyers employed by the board of health, says the San Francisco Bulletin. Health Officer Lovelace has charge of the work, and the members of the board were again present to witness the abatement of the nuisances which have long been a disgrace to the municipality. The first onslaught was made in Brooklyn place, a cul de sac off Sacramento street, and running to the south. Nos. 8 and 9½ Brooklyn place fell first before the attack of the axmen. The property, an old shack, one story high, was owned by Joseph Cuneo. It was occupied as a Chinese lodging house and opium "joint." Chinese pipe fiends and lodgers of the lowest order crowded its dark and badly ventilated recesses. Its nooks and crannies were filled with filth and its atmosphere so foul that it seems a wonder that even Chinese lungs could have endured it. Yet the celestials have lived there for years. They found it extremely cheap and with a certain class of Chinese one place of abode is as good as another. The low rookery was surrounded by a gable roof. It was but the work of an hour to tear away its front. The new axes of the house choppers quickly cut away the supports, and the big hook, attached to a rope, upon the other end of which the destroyers tugged, pulled the boards away without difficulty. The hook was then fastened on the roof, which was so old and rotten that it hardly afforded a good hold. After tearing away many sections the main part came down with a crash. A cloud of dust and dirt arose, obscuring the workers from the view of the crowd of white and yellow spectators at the end of the alley. When it cleared away it was seen that very little of the old "joint" remained. The workmen pulled down one or two other old fabrics and then rested from their violent exertions. Health Officer Lovelace said he intended to prosecute the work as rapidly as possible. There might, he said, be a cessation of hostilities for a few days, as the notices served upon owners and occupants had not expired. As soon as the time was up the gang would be turned loose on the houses and they would be pulled down until all the ramshackle structures had been demolished. It is thought now that the property owners will not make any serious fight against the action of the health authorities. Only one injunction has yet been secured. The board will fight the matter in the courts. The members are rather pleased than otherwise that the issue has been raised. They believe that the court will decide that the health authorities of the city have a right to abate nuisances and that this case will serve as a precedent for subsequent action. The board has a photographer at work where buildings are torn down and will be provided with pictures which will show that the destroyed property was in such a state of dilapidation as to warrant its destruction.

The Deafness of White Cats.

"Though I had often heard of it, I never was fully satisfied that all white cats are naturally deaf until recently," said a scientific gentleman who devotes considerable of his time to experimenting with the lower order of animals. "I was aware that Prof. Bell in his original experiments in connection with the telephone, had ascertained and stated his experience with white cats was that they were all either deaf or very deficient in hearing, and that other experimenters in the same direction had reached similar conclusions. To satisfy myself I recently secured in all twenty-three white cats, and experimented on them, one at a time. In every case I found them stone deaf. In carrying the experiment further I found that white dogs and white horses are deficient in hearing, and that many of them are entirely deaf. So are white rats and white mice. I am confident I do not overstate it in regard to white cats, though I have only personally experimented with twenty-three, and, of course, can only speak positively in regard to them. I don't hazard much, however, when I make the bold statement that all white cats are deaf."—Washington Star.

An Elk Horn Fence.

At Mammoth Hot Springs in Yellowstone park there is a fence made of elk horns. It incloses the greater part of the grounds of Photographer F. Jay Lajnes' studio. The fence is composed of over 300 selected elk horns. All of them have twelve points and a great many have the royal fourteen points. They were shed in March, 1895, and were gathered in June of the same year by Mr. Haynes and three of his men within a radius of ten miles of Mammoth Hot Springs and within four days' time. There are about 2,500 elk in the park now. Each pair of horns would bring \$7.50 at the railroad at Cinabar, about eight miles, or at least \$10 a pair in the east or south.

Not Fastidious.

The Prince de Conti was not fastidious on the subject of mass. He wished to have for his almoner the Abbe Prevost, the author of "Manon Lescaut." "Monseigneur," said the abbe to him, "I have never said mass." "Never mind," said the prince, "I never hear it."—London Figaro.

To Find the Keyhole.

One of the most recent inventions patented is a small searchlight to be placed near the keyhole of the outside door to the jaggy man's residence.

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A Scientist Says It's True They Can't Hear a Thing.

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Advice to a Bride.

A. L. wants to know what will soften and smooth the elbows which are rough and hard. What exercise could a girl of eighteen take? She teaches school from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. She has an hour recess at noon at the school. She rises at six, cleans up the house and gets the small children ready for school, walks to school in ten minutes (three-quarters of a mile), sits in the school room until 12 m., has her hour, then teaches till four, comes home and sews until 8:30 p. m. and retires at nine. She lives in the country. What will be a suitable toilet for an April bride (the latter part) to be married in? Also, two other nice but not expensive costumes, and how should they be made? The bride is a blonde, tall and full figure lives in the country; in the south; will be married at high noon with very few friends present. She is a school teacher and can't afford anything very expensive. She and her husband will begin housekeeping at once. You will greatly oblige me by answering these questions. Answer: The Ledger hopes that the bride-to-be is the writer of the sensible, practical letter that accompanies these inquiries. If so, the future husband will please accept congratulations. As to exercise, it would seem that there was less need of that than of rest and time to think and to enjoy a few of the pleasures of life. All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy, and it makes Gill grow old and lose her freshness and youthful grace and attractiveness, something which she should guard with the utmost care and watchfulness. It goes soon enough at the best. Perhaps deep and judicious breathing would be about the best possible exercise. Make the clothing perfectly loose, undoing all fastenings; then fill the lungs as full as possible, hold the breath an instant, then let the air out slowly. Repeat this ten or twenty times, and go through this exercise half a dozen times every day. Swinging the arms and bending the body are also excellent, but must not be overdone. As to dresses, why not wear a traveling dress, something that will be pretty and suitable afterward for best wear. If white is desired, you might get a nun's veiling or an India silk. Make the dress up simply, and trim with a very little very good lace, or with accordion plaited silk mull or chiffon. Make the dress high in the neck and with a perfectly plain skirt, and sleeves either in leg-o'-mutton style or with full puffs to the elbows, and long gloves. Every lady should have a black dress. If you have none, get a good black camel's hair or a Priestley clair-ette. Have it made with plain skirt and one of the new short basque jackets, which style is really a fitted waist with ripple basque skirt. Leg-o'-mutton sleeves and a fancy collar would make a nice finish. For a third dress get a plain dark skirt and some fancy waists. Or you might get a pretty light silk and a black satin skirt, with fancy waists. As to the elbows, does not the teacher lean with her elbows on the desk? Stop this habit, and bathe the elbows in hot water half a dozen times during the week, or oftener, if possible, and all will come right. A little cold cream may be beneficial.—New York Ledger.

A Faithful Friend.

A touching little "dog story" comes to us from the Austrian Tyrol. One afternoon, a few days ago, two farmers heard a peculiar bark which seemed to come out of a deep abyss near a neighboring Alpine hut. After awhile, as the whine continued, the men followed the sound and climbed down to the place whence it came. Here, to their distress, they found the corpse of an innkeeper near by, who had evidently been killed by a fall. By the side of his dead master sat a little dog. For thirty hours it had kept its watch, and its plaintive whines only ceased when the man's body was taken up and carried home.—Westminster Gazette.

Stove polish, 2 cents a cake at Lowell's.

New Washington and Baltimore Line.
The Monon Route has established a new through sleeping car line between Washington and Baltimore, via Cincinnati, by the C. & O., B. & O. S. W. and B. & O. Rys. The sleeper is ready for occupancy in Dearborn Station at 9:30 P. M. and leaves at 2:45 A. M. daily, arriving at Washington at 6:47 and Baltimore at 7:55 A. M. the following morning. This schedule will go into effect Jan. 24th. As the sleeper goes through without change, and the hours of leaving and arriving are most convenient, this will prove altogether the most comfortable, as well as the most picturesque route to the national capital. City Ticket Office, 222 Clark St., Chicago. Depot, Dearborn Station, Chicago.

Home Seekers' Excursions.

Home Seekers' round trip excursion tickets to points in Iowa, Minnesota, the Dakotas, Northern Wisconsin, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Indian Territory, Kansas, Arkansas, Alabama, in Florida on the Louisville & Nashville railroad North and South Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Kentucky and western portion of Colorado will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at half fare plus \$2.00 on January 5 and 19, February 2 and 16, March 2 and 16 and April 6 and 20, 1897.

Aluminum for Coin.

It is reported that aluminum, which has never yet been used for coinage, is to be tested at the Philadelphia mint as one of the possible alloys for making minor coins. The suggestion has been offered that one-cent pieces composed principally of aluminum would possess the great advantage of being easily distinguishable from other coins of similar size by their light weight.

I have given Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a fair test and consider it one of the very best remedies for croup that I have ever found. One case has always been sufficient, although I use it freely. Any cold or children contract yields very readily to this medicine. I can conscientiously recommend it for croup and colds in children.—GEO. E. WOLFE, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Fernandina, Fla. Sold at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy, corner Main and Milwaukee.

Mr. Ward L. Smith, of Fredericktown, Mo. was troubled with chronic diarrhea for over thirty years. He had become fully satisfied that it was only a question of a short time until he would have to give up. He had been treated by some of the best physicians in Europe and America but got no permanent relief. One day he picked up a newspaper and chanced to read an advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy. He got a bottle of it, the first dose helped him and its constant use cured him. For sale at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy, corner Main and Milwaukee.

A few months ago, Mr. Byron Every, of Woodstock, Mich., was badly afflicted with rheumatism. His right leg was swollen the full length, causing him great suffering. He was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The first bottle of it helped him considerably and the second bottle effected a cure. The 25 and 50 cent sizes are for sale at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy, corner Main and Milwaukee.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY. Rebecca A. Bell, plaintiff, vs. Charles H. Campbell, Hattie E. Campbell his wife, The Bank of Broadhead, and C. N. Carpenter president of The Bank of Broadhead, defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue and in pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale rendered in the above entitled action by the Circuit Court for Rock County on the 14th day of January, A. D. 1897, in favor of the above named plaintiff, and against the above named defendants, I will, on Monday, the 15th day of March, A. D. 1897, at 1 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder therefor the real estate and mortgaged premises described in said judgment as follows, to-wit:

All that certain lot or tract of land situated, lying and being in the town of Plymouth, in the county of Rock, state of Wisconsin, known and described as follows, to-wit: The west half of the east half of section number four (4) in township number two (2) north of range number eleven (11) east, excepting one acre of land in the south east corner thereof, owned by Daniel Silverthorn, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to pay such judgment with interest thereon, and the costs of sale.—Dated January 21st, 1897.

THOS. L. ACHESON, Sheriff of Rock Co., Wis. J. W. Sale, plaintiff's att'y, Janesville, Wis. febr12dew

CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY. James B. Hume, executor of the estate of Sarah A. Bell, deceased, plaintiff, vs. Samuel Henderson, Margaret Henderson, his wife, Elmer L. Jacobs, Emily Jacobs, his wife, and Elmer Paul, special administrator of the estate of Lemuel Paul, deceased, defendants. The State of Wisconsin to the said defendants and each of them: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the circuit court of said county, and in case of your failure so to do judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint on file in said court. ANGIE J. KING, Attorney-at-Law, Plaintiff's Attorney. P. O. Address, No. 1 Sinclair Street, Janesville, Wis. febr12dew

NOTICE TO CREDITORS STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the regular term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of September, A. D. 1897, being September 7th, 1897, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted. All claims against Daniel Gower, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased, and all claims against said county, deceased. All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 15th day of August, A. D. 1897, or be barred.—Dated February 5, 1897.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge. febr12dew

CIRCUIT COURT—ROCK COUNTY.—J. B. Hume, executor of the estate of Sarah A. Bell, deceased, plaintiff, vs. E. Gahan, defendant.

The State of Wisconsin to the said defendant: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure so to do judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint.

A. N. RANDALL, Plaintiff's attorney. P. O. address: Broadhead, Green Co., Wis. febr12dew

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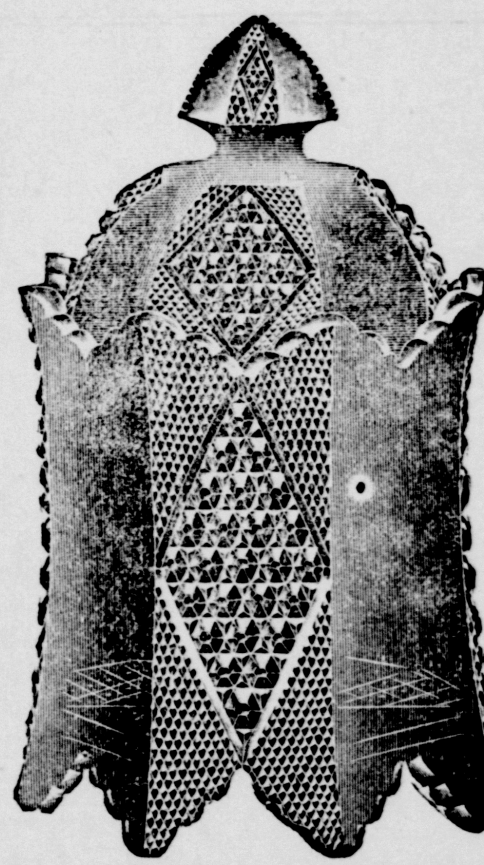
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Choosing a Life Partner.

The Washington Star tells the following tale of a girl with an eye to the main chance:

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"I understand that both are very bright."

"Yes. They're inventors."

"There is something noble in that profession. I cannot think without the profoundest admiration of these men who harness the giant forces of nature to do the bidding of the human will."

"Yes. That sentiment applies to William. He's at work on a flying machine and a new kind of electric engine. But one can't buy moquette carpets and dining-room chairs with fine theories, you know?"

"Aren't you going to marry William?"

"No. I accepted John. He's going to be a rich man. He has an invention under way for fastening on suspender buttons so they can't come off."

English and American Skaters.

It has been said that there are no skaters in the world as graceful as the American girls. This may be due in a measure to the difference in method between the skating of the girl of the New World and her English sister, but be the cause what it may, the truth of the assertion still holds. An essential feature of the English method is to skate with a straight knee, which cannot be accomplished to the letter and at the same time give the graceful, easy stroke which is so noticeable a characteristic of the American skater. It cannot be said, however, that the women of the old country are as prone to adopt this method as the men, and

there are in England to-day some really fine skaters. Englishmen as a rule execute their movements on the ice on a grand scale. They appear to be flying rather than merely gliding over the surface of the ice, and some of their strokes are really marvels of strength and skill, one stroke frequently carrying the skater the entire length of the rink. The American skater, however, takes the stroke with a slightly bended knee, and then coming up to the "straight knee" movement, makes a most easy and graceful appearance.

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I am not a philanthropist, nor do I pose as an enthusiast, but there are thousands of men suffering the mental tortures of weakened manhood who would be cured at once could they but get such a remedy as the one that cured me. Do not try to stave out how I can afford to pay the few postage stamps necessary to mail the information, but send for it, and learn that there are a few things on earth that although they cost nothing to get they are worth a fortune to some men and mean a lifetime of happiness to most of us. Write to Thomas Slater, Box 34, Kalamazoo, Mich., and the information will be mailed in a plain sealed envelope.

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Desperation seizes us as we approach March 1st Every article in the store must go. Don't be afraid to make an offer. Suggestions of what you can do with money at our store.

Shoes that were retailed at 75c to \$1.25 go at.....	59c	Fancy Flue Stops, regular price 10c; now two for.....	5c
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Vegetable Dishes that retailed at 40c, now.....	18c	10 kegs 6a Casing Nails, regular price \$2.45; now.....	1.00
Sugar and Butter Dishes that retailed at 80c, now.....	15c	1 Octagon Counter and Show Case; cost \$100.....	20.00
Misses' and Children's ribbed stockings, retailed at 14c.....	8c	13 Show Cases, \$2 up to.....	35.00
Gent's Linen Collare, worth 15c.....	5c	Cash Carrier System, cost \$65.....	25.00
1 Toy Hook and Ladder Truck, worth \$1.00; now.....	50c	Letter Press, Worth \$3; now.....	1.50
1 Hanging Lamp, worth \$4.75; now.....	\$2.85	500 Table Knives, worth 10c each.....	5c
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3 lb can California Black Cherries, 15c; dozen,	1 65
3 lb can Trilby Peaches, 10c; dozen,	1 15
3 lb can Aqua Fruta California Peaches, 13c; doz ,	1 40
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Fancy can Figs.	20c
2 lb. can Lima Beans, 10c; fine stock, 3 cans,	25c
2 lb can Stringless Beans, 10c; 3 cans, 25c; per doz.,	90c
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Gallon cans Plums, per can,	25c
Gallon cans Necterines, per can,	25c
Gallon cans Apples, per can,	20c
Strictly Fresh Eggs, per dozen,	15c
Fancy, Fresh, Large Lemons, per dozen,	15c
12 lbs Oatmeal,	25c
New Ungraded Prunes, per pound,	05c
Fancy Ring Apples, per pound,	5c
Finest A. B. C grade Butter and Oyster Crackers, lb	5c
Small can Raspberries in Sugar Syrup, 5c;	
50 cents dozen	
3 lb can Teepee Blackberries, 10c; fine goods, an immense trade.	
\$1 10 per dozen.	
2 lb can Beauty Sugar Peas, 10c; 3 for 25c; a bargain.	
\$1.00 per doz. n.	

2 lb can Corn, good quality,	6 cents per can
5 gallons best Oil and Galvanized Can with faucet,	95 cents.
Fancy Salt Pork, per pound,	5 cents.
A, B, C Crackers, all kinds,	5 Cents per pound.
Fancy Table Syrup, 20 cents gallon.	
3 Gallons, 50 Cents.	

Cigars.

A good cigar, Village Belle, 50 in box,	90 Cents.
A choice cigar, Grand Vall r, 50 in box,	\$1.25 per box.
A fancy cigar, Old Judge, 50 in box,	\$1 40 per box.
A fancy cigar, Esperanzo, 50 in box,	\$1.40 per box.
A fancy cigar, 50 in box,	\$1.50 per box.
A fancy cigar, The Witch, 50 in box,	\$1 85 per box.
These are all first class goods and are al. bargains	

Soap

7 bars Santa Claus.....	25c
7 bars Lenox	25c
7 bars O d Countrv.....	25c

7 bars Fairbanks' Brown.....	25c
7 bars Bluff City.....	25c
7 bars Cyc one.....	25c
7 packages all kinds Washing Powder.....	25c

Coffee.

1 lb Crushed Java, 22c; 5 lbs.....	\$1 00
1 lb Java Siftings, 22c 5 lbs.....	1 00
1 lb good Rio, 18c; 6 lbs.....	1 00
1 lb fancy Rio, 22c; 5 lbs.....	1 00
1 lb golden Rio, 28c; 4 lbs.....	1 00
1 lb Santos and Maracaibo, 30c; 3½ lbs.....	1 00
1 lb Mexican Java, 30c; 3½ lbs.....	1 00
(This is the finest Mexican java money can buy).	
1 lb Java and Mocha, 35c; 3½ lbs.....	1 00
1 lb Diamond Java and Moch, 38c; 3 lbs.....	1 05
(This is the perfection in coffee)	

Flour

Washburn Crosby Co.'s (Minneapolis) Gold Medal,	\$1.10 per sack.
(In ten sack lots, \$1.05.)	
Hard to Beat (Janesville Minnesota) Flour,	\$1.00 per sack.
(In ten sack lots, 95c.)	
You must realize that this price cannot last as the world's supply is short and it is only a question of time when wheat and flour will be higher.	

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